

**To:** Rao, Kate[Rao.kate@epa.gov]  
**From:** Kerpel, Judith  
**Sent:** Wed 6/6/2018 9:47:06 PM  
**Subject:** RE: EPA 'designation' letter authorizing the County of HI to initiate consultation with SHPO for the Pahala LCC Project

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**From:** Rao, Kate  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 06, 2018 2:39 PM  
**To:** Kerpel, Judith <KERPEL.JUDITH@EPA.GOV>  
**Subject:** FW: EPA 'designation' letter authorizing the County of HI to initiate consultation with SHPO for the Pahala LCC Project

Hi Judy – can you print the attached on letterhead and put on my chair?

Thanks. Kate

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**From:** Leon, Sandra  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 6, 2018 1:44 PM  
**To:** Rao, Kate <Rao.kate@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Hagler, Tom <Hagler.Tom@epa.gov>; Lieben, Ivan <Lieben.Ivan@epa.gov>  
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**From:** Rao, Kate  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 6, 2018 9:51 AM  
**To:** Leon, Sandra <Leon.Sandra@epa.gov>  
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**From:** Leon, Sandra  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 8, 2018 3:33 PM  
**To:** Hagler, Tom <[Hagler.Tom@epa.gov](mailto:Hagler.Tom@epa.gov)>; Rao, Kate <[Rao.kate@epa.gov](mailto:Rao.kate@epa.gov)>  
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**From:** Hagler, Tom  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 8, 2018 3:26 PM  
**To:** Leon, Sandra <[Leon.Sandra@epa.gov](mailto:Leon.Sandra@epa.gov)>; Rao, Kate <[Rao.kate@epa.gov](mailto:Rao.kate@epa.gov)>  
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**From:** Leon, Sandra  
**Sent:** Monday, May 7, 2018 10:18 AM  
**To:** Rao, Kate <[Rao.kate@epa.gov](mailto:Rao.kate@epa.gov)>  
**Cc:** Hagler, Tom <[Hagler.Tom@epa.gov](mailto:Hagler.Tom@epa.gov)>  
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(Kate, there are similar regs for the NMFS.)

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**From:** Rao, Kate

**Sent:** Monday, May 7, 2018 9:08 AM

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**From:** Rao, Kate

**Sent:** Wednesday, February 28, 2018 1:33 PM

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**Cc:** Curtis, Jamelya <[Curtis.Jamelya@epa.gov](mailto:Curtis.Jamelya@epa.gov)>; 'Braden Rosenberg' <[Braden.Rosenberg@erg.com](mailto:Braden.Rosenberg@erg.com)>; Kim Wagoner <[Kim.Wagoner@erg.com](mailto:Kim.Wagoner@erg.com)>

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Hello Bill et al. –

Please see attached for EPA's letter to SHPO authoring COH to initiate National Historic Preservation Act consultation on our behalf for the Pahala LCC Project. I am emailing this letter to you since you are all noted on the cc: list.

Please note that once this letter is issued, the County can immediately start consultation with SHPO on our behalf. I am still working on identifying other Native Hawaiian associations that will need a similar letter.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks. Kate

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